

Regional Communications System Network Incident Log January 1999

Date Time	System(s) Impacted	Incident Summary
01-04 1900-1945	South Simulcast	Simulcast Controller locked up and would not switch. Loss of South Simulcast for 45 minutes. ▼
01-05 to 01-29 1 to 3 minutes	East Loop Microwave	Software Upgrade. Inability to transmit for 1 to 3 minutes at IR sites. +
01-05 to 01-06 10-15 seconds	South Simulcast	<p>Maintenance on Simulcast controllers at the Primary System Center. Momentary outage of wide area trunking for 10-15 seconds. Several intermittent tests.</p> <p>Maintenance staff was trying to duplicate the problem with the South Simulcast system going into failsoft the night before. No exact cause was identified. Motorola staff thinks the cause was probably a rare case of corrupted data inputted into the controllers from somewhere in the network. +</p>
01-06 0900-1400	South Simulcast San Ysidro	Pac Bell doing tower and antenna work shut transmitter off to protect technicians. Degraded service along border. +
01-14 0400-0700	Primary System Center County PSC	Install and cutover of Emergency generator for PSC by private contractor. No impact on system users. +
01-14 0700-1600	North Simulcast Site Encina Power Plant	SDG&E maintenance inspection and testing of power plant circuits. Degraded coverage in area. +
01-21 0400-0600	Monument Peak Superstition Mountain	NON-INCIDENT – GENERAL INTEREST: High winds in Monument Peak and Superstition Mountain at 95 mph and 75 mph respectively, plus 1 inch of ice at Monument Peak. Tower and antennas designed for 112 mph. The network operated normally despite weather conditions.
01-21	Banner Ranch	NON-INCIDENT – GENERAL INTEREST: The emergency generator ran for several hours due to down power lines. Site stayed on the air. No incident to report. General user information only.
01-26	Primary System Center, COC	Final wiring and cutover of emergency generator and transfer panel. No impact on system users. +

+ Scheduled Maintenance
▼ Unscheduled Maintenance

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